# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

: Case No. 17-cv-5134

RONALD L. BOONIE,

Plaintiff,

- vs-

ANASTASIOS P. BELESIS, ATB HOLDING, : LLC, TOMTAB LLC, 2008 ANASTASIOS : BELESIS IRR TRUST UA DATED SEPT. 2008, : and TABITHA BELESIS, :

:

Defendants. : COMPLAINT

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Plaintiff Ronald L. Boonie ("Mr. Boonie" or the "Plaintiff"), by and through his undersigned counsel, The Guiliano Law Firm, P.C., 1700 Market Street, Suite 1005, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103, for his Complaint alleges:

#### I. SUMMARY & OVERVIEW

1. Plaintiff, the victim of a multi-million dollar securities fraud scheme orchestrated by Anastosis P. Belesis, as the former President and Chief Executive Officer of John Thomas Financial. Plaintiff brings this claim against Anastosis P. Belesis to obtain judgment on a promissory note executed by Belesis, and against the other defendants to set aside the fraudulent conveyances of assets by Belesis in an attempt to avoid creditors.

#### II. JURISDICTION

2. This Court has jurisdiction over this action pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1332, in that the action involves a dispute between citizens of different states and the amount in controversy exceeds \$75,000, exclusive of interest and costs.

3. Venue is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1391, because a substantial part of the events or omissions giving rise to Plaintiff's claims occurred in this District, and a substantial part of property that is the subject of the action is situated in this District.

#### III. PARTIES

- 4. Ronald L. Boonie ("Boonie") is 55 years old. He resides in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and operates a home heating oil delivery business in Winfield, Pennsylvania. Plaintiff lost approximately \$385,000 as the result of fraudulent investments sold by John Thomas Financial, a former FINRA member securities broker-dealer.
- at all times relevant hereto was the President and Chief Executive Officer of John Thomas Financial. On October 17, 2014, the United States Securities & Exchange Commission filed a Cease and Desist Action against John Thomas Financial and Anastasios P. Belesis, alleging of Section 17(a) of the Securities Act, Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act and Rule 10b-5 thereunder, and Sections 206(1), 206(2) and 206(4) of the Advisers Act and Rule 206(4)-8 thereunder, and among other things involving John Thomas Bridge & Opportunity Fund, II. (*In the Matter of John Thomas Financial, Inc., et al.* SEC Administrative Proceeding File No. 3-15255 (Oct. 17, 2014), and on January 9, 2015, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA") found that John Thomas Financial and Anastasios P. Belesis, in addition to providing false information to FINRA, were found to have engaged in "fraud, intimidation, and the falsification of book and records. (*Department of Enforcement v. John Thomas Financial, Inc.*, Disciplinary Proceeding No. 20120334673-01 (Jan. 9, 2015)). Belesis and John Thomas have been barred by FINRA, and as of even date there are more than a dozen unpaid arbitration awards rendered against Belesis and/or John Thomas Financial.

- 6. ATB Holding LLC ("ATB") is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, with its principal place of business in the State of New York. ATB, the former owners of John Thomas Financial, is owned and controlled by Belesis, with its principal place of business at 60 Beach Street, Apt. 1-A, New York, New York 10013.
- 7. TOMTAB LLC ("TOMTAB") is a Delaware limited liability company with its principal place of business at 60 Beach Street, Apt. 1-A, New York, New York 10013. Upon information and belief, TOMTAB is owned and controlled by Tabitha Belesis.
- 8. 2008 Anastasios Belesis Irrevocable Trust UA Dated Sept. 2008 (the "Trust") is a trust created under the laws of the State of New York. Belesis' brother George Belesis, serves as Trustee of the Trust.
- 9. Tabith Belesis resides at 60 Beach Street, Apt. 1-A, New York, New York 10013. As stated above, she is the purported manager and sole owner of TOMTAB LLC and has been married to Anastasios Belesis since 2004.

# COUNT I Breach of Contract – Promissory Note

- 10. On December 3, 2015, Belesis executed a Promissory Note and Confession of Judgment unconditionally promising to pay Plaintiff the sum of \$85,000, in the form of two equal payments on or before November 1, 2016 and November 1, 2017. (Exhibit "A").
  - 11. The Promissory Note and Confession of Judgment also provides that:

Should Payor fail to make any payment as set forth above, and does not cure default within 30 days after written notice of default is provided, Payor confesses Judgment as set forth below in the amount of \$150,000, together with costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, less any sums received by Payee from Payor through the date of Confession of Judgment.

December 3, 2016 Promissory Note at 3)(Exhibit "A").

12. The Promissory Note and Confession of Judgment also provides that:

In the event of default or insolvency as set forth above, Payor confesses and consents to the entry of a judgment or award in the dollar amount of ONE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$150,000) together with attorney's fees, if any, in any court of competent jurisdiction in New York, and hereby waives and acknowledging the consideration made herewith, forever waives and gives-up any defenses, or rights of set-off associated with this Note or any other matter. The undersigned unconditionally agrees to remain fully bound hereunder until this note shall be fully paid and waive demand, presentment and protest and all notices thereto and further agree to remain bound, notwithstanding any extension, renewal, modification, waiver, or other indulgence by any holder or upon the discharge or release of any obligor hereunder or to this Note.

December 3, 2016 Promissory Note at 4)(Exhibit "A").

- 13. On February 23, 2017, Plaintiff, through his counsel, in in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Promissory Note, served notice personally upon Mr. Belesis and also his counsel that if default was not cured within thirty days of the notice of default or by March 23, 2017, that Plaintiff would proceed against all potentially responsible parties in any court of competent jurisdiction. (Exhibit "B").
- 14. As of even date, no payments have been made under the Note, nor has Belesis been provided any extension of time to do so.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff requests that Judgment be entered against Belesis for:

- a) \$150,000;
- b) interest at the legal rate;
- c) reasonable attorneys fees and cost of suit; and
- d) any other relief that is just, fair and equitable.

# **COUNT II Set Aside Fraudulent Conveyances**

- 15. Plaintiff incorporates the allegations set forth above in ¶¶ 1 through 14, inclusive, by reference.
- 16. As stated above, as of even date there are more than a dozen unpaid arbitration awards rendered against Belesis and/or John Thomas Financial. On September 13, 2011, Anastasios Belesis and his wife, Tabitha Belesis formed TOMTAB. In October 2011, Anastasios Belesis purportedly transferred his interest in TOMTAB to Tabitha Belesis for no consideration.
- 17. In April 2012, in anticipation of an SEC investigation and litigation,<sup>1</sup> Anastasios Belesis purportedly transferred his interest in the condominium unit found at 60 Beach Street, Apt. 1-A, New York, NY 10013 to TOMTAB for no consideration and in an attempt to hinder the collection of any judgment against him.
- 18. On November 5, 2015, also in an effort to avoid creditors, Belesis caused to be transfered of 1,000,000 shares of Radiant Oil & Gas, Inc. from John Thomas Financial to 2008 Anastasios Belesis Irrevocable Trust UA Dated Sept. 2008, where his brother, George Belesis, serves as Trustee. (Exhibit "C")(In September 2014, George Belesis, who also served as an executive of John Thomas Financial, and the subject of at least six customer initiated, investment related complaints, filed for personal bankruptcy).
- 19. In May 2016, Belesis satisfied a Mortgage on certain real property located at48 Beach Street, Unit 1A, New York, New York, and simultaneously, without valid consideration

In March 2012, Belesis was found to have made false statements to John Thomas's Error and Omissions Liability insurer, New York Marine and General Insurance Company on March 5, 2012, as the result of the willful failure to disclose the SEC Investigation, and the existence of nine (9) customer arbitration claims against him and/or John Thomas Financial. *New York Marine and General Insurance Company v. Belesis, et al.*, Sup. Ct of N.Y. INDEX NO. 651953 (May 31, 2013).

conveyed this real property to TOMTAB, LLC. <sup>2</sup> (Exhibit "D").

20. Under the New York Creditor and Debtor Law ("NYCDL"), the transfers to TOMTAB, the Trust and Tabitha Belesis were fraudulent as to Plaintiff, whose claim against Belesis and John Thomas Financial arose in 2010. *Boonie v. John Thomas Financial, et al.*, FINRA

Arbitration No. 12-03827 (Nov. 2, 2012).

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff requests that Order and Judgment be entered for:

a) Pursuant to NYCDL § 272 et seq., directing that the conveyances made to the

Anastasios Belesis Irrevocable Trust be set aside as fraudulent and assets preserved and turned over

in the amount necessary to satisfy Plaintiff's claim;

b) Pursuant to NYCDL § 272 et seq., directing that the conveyances made to

TOMTAB and Tabitha Belesis, be set aside as fraudulent and assets preserved and turned over in

the amount necessary to satisfy Plaintiff's claim;

(c) Any such other relief that this Court may find fair, just and equitable.

Dated: June 30, 2017

Respectfully Submitted,

## By s/Nicholas J. Guiliano

Nicholas J. Guiliano, Esquire The Guiliano Law Firm, P.C. 1700 Market Street, Suite 1005 Philadelphia, PA 19103 Telephone: (215) 413-8223

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Attorneys for Plaintiff

Belesis testified at a December 11, 2015 deposition in another matter, that he transferred all assets to his wife, and or corporations that she controlled, rendering him insolvent.

# Exhibit A

#### GENERAL RELEASE

## TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME OR MAY CONCERN

Greetings: Know that

RONALD BOONIE

as RELEASOR(S).

in consideration of the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) lawful money of the United States of America to me in hand paid by

#### ANASTASIOS BELESIS

as RELEASEES.

the receipt and sufficiency whereof is hereby acknowledged, have remised, released and forever discharged the RELEASEES, RELEASEES' heirs, executors, administrators, employees, members, directors, officers, affiliates subsidiaries, successors and assigns from all actions, cause of action, suits, debts, dues, sums of money, accounts, reckonings, bonds, bills specialties, covenants, contracts, controversies, agreements, promises, variances, trespasses, damages, judgments, extents, executions, claims, and demand whatsoever, in law, admiralty or equity, which against the RELEASEES, the RELEASOR, RELEASOR'S heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns ever had, now have or hereafter can, shall or may have for, upon or by reason of any matter, cause or thing whatsoever from the beginning of the world to the day of the date of this RELEASE.

The words "RELEASOR" and "RELEASEES" include all releasors and all releases under this RELEASE.

This RELEASE may not be changed orally.

In witness whereof, the RELEASOR has hereunto set RELEASOR'S hands and seals on 200 day of December, 2015.

Anastasios Belesis

STATE OF New YORK

COUNTY OF KINGS

Rembers the 3 AD day of August 2015. before me personally appeared Awastasos Belesis , to me known, and known to me to be the same person described in and who executed the within instrument and leach polyedged to me that he

executed and has the authority to execute same.

INANCIAL INDUSTRY REGULATORY AUTHORIT	Y
FFICE OF DISPUTE RESOLUTION	
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ONALD L. BOONIE	

Claimant.

Case No.: 12-03827

-against-

SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

JOHN THOMAS FINANCIAL INC., ANASTASIOS BELESIS, SOLOMON DAVID KRISPEAL, and BARIS CABALAR (cons w/ 15-00416)

Respondents.
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#### SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

This Settlement Agreement (the "Agreement") is made between RONALD BOONIE ("Claimant") on the one hand, and ANASTASIOS BELESIS ("Belesis") ("Respondent") on the other hand (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Parties") on this 300 day of November 2015 (the "Execution Date").

- 1. <u>Cooperation</u>. Notwithstanding any content herein to the contrary, Belesis agrees to fully cooperate with Claimant and his attorneys in connection with Claimant pursuing the PROMISSORY NOTE dated November 30, 2015.
- 2. Confidentiality. The Parties agree that maintaining the terms of this Agreement in confidence is essential and to the material benefit of the Parties. Therefore, the Parties agree to hold and keep the negotiations, terms, and facts leading up to and contributing to settlement, as well as the terms of this Agreement itself (collectively "Confidential Information") in the strictest confidence. Except as otherwise set forth herein, the parties will not disclose to any individual, person, corporation, entity, regulatory body, governmental agency, government official or any other third-party any aspect of this Agreement, any circumstances giving rise thereto or any documents related thereto; provided however, such disclosure may be made: (i) to any immediate family member of the parties; (ii) to counsel or a professional tax advisor for legal or tax advice; (iii) to the IRS or equivalent taxing authority in a country other than the United States; (iv) if required by lawful court process; or (v) if requested during any administrative or legal proceeding, or at request of the Securities Exchange Commission or any securities self-regulatory organization (including FINRA). The parties mutually agree that breach of any portion of this confidentiality provision would cause irreparable injury to any of the individuals or entities released in paragraphs 4 and 5 above, and that the parties, or either of them, may obtain, in addition to other relief, an injunction to prevent disclosure of any such confidential information in violation of this Agreement.

- 3. <u>Disclosure Notice</u>. If the parties are required to disclose any of the Confidential Information as described in paragraph 2 above, each will, before production or disclosure, promptly notify the other party in writing within five (5) business days of receipt of any valid and enforceable subpoena or order so that the other party shall have a reasonable opportunity to intervene or object to the disclosure or to seek a protective order or other confidential treatment of the Confidential Information.
- 4. Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed, construed, applied, and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of New York without reference to conflict of laws principles.
- 5. <u>Notices</u>. All notices, demands, requests and other communications required under this Agreement shall be in writing and be deemed to have been properly given if sent by personal delivery, overnight delivery, certified mail or first class regular mail. Notice to the following individuals and addresses will serve as valid notice:

#### Claimant:

Nicholas J. Guiliano, Esquire 1700 Market Street, Suite 1005 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103 (215) 413-8223 nick@nicholasguiliano.com

#### Respondent:

JOSEPH MURE JR., & ASSOCIATES Anthony C. Varbero 26 Court Street, Suite 2601 Brooklyn, New York 11242

Each Party may change the address or individuals to which notices to it are to be given by giving written notice given pursuant to this Paragraph.

- 6. Entire Agreement and Severability. This instrument constitutes and contains the entire Agreement and understanding between the Parties to this Agreement concerning the subject matter of this Agreement, and supersedes all prior negotiations, proposed Agreements, and understandings, if any, between the foregoing Parties. If any term of this Agreement shall be prohibited by or invalid by any law, this Agreement shall be deemed modified to conform to the minimum requirements of such law or, if for any reason it is not deemed so modified, it shall be prohibited or invalid only to the extent of such prohibition or invalidity without the remainder thereof or any other term in this Agreement being prohibited or invalid.
- 7. <u>Understanding</u>. The Parties agree that they have read and understand that this Agreement is a settlement and contains a release; that the Parties voluntarily agree to the terms set forth herein; and that they knowingly and willingly intend to be legally bound by the same.

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- 8. Review by Counsel. The Parties acknowledge that they are entitled to and have had the opportunity to have the terms of this Agreement reviewed by counsel and/or a representative(s) of their choice. The Parties and their representative(s) have reviewed and revised this Agreement, or the Parties had the opportunity to obtain counsel to review and revise this Agreement; accordingly, the normal rule of construction to the effect that any ambiguities are to be resolved against the drafting party shall not be employed in the interpretation of this Agreement.
- Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed by facsimile and in counterparts, each of which will be deemed an original and all of which, taken together, shall constitute one and the same Agreement.
- 10. Costs and Fees. The Parties agree to bear their respective attorneys' fees associated with the FINRA Arbitration.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed and delivered this Agreement on the date first above written.

RONALD BOC	ONIE
Print Name:	
Signature:	
Date:	
ANASTASIOS Print Name:	BELESIS DISTOSTOS BENS
Signature:	NNOWS
Date:	12/2/25
	10 /3/13

### PROMISSORY NOTE

Dated: December 3, 2015 Principal Amount: \$85,000.00

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, in connection with the Release of certain legal matters, as more fully set forth in a Mutual General Release, the undersigned, ANASTASIOS P. BELESIS, ("Mr. Belesis" or the "Payor") hereby unconditionally promise to pay to the order of "Nicholas J. Guiliano, Esquire f/b/o Ronald Boonie, (the "Claimant" or the "Payee") the sum of EIGHTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (85,000.00), said sum shall be paid by paying \$42,500.00 by no later than November 1, 2016, with the remaining \$42,500.00 within twelve months thereafter or before November 1, 2017.

- Should Payor fail to make any payment as set forth above, and does not cure default within thirty (30) days after written notice of default is provided, Payor confesses Judgment as set forth below in the amount of \$150,000.00¹, together with costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, less any sums received by Payee from Payor through the date of Confession of Judgment.
- 2. Upon the filing by any of the undersigned of an assignment for the benefit of creditors, bankruptcy, or for relief under any provisions of the Bankruptcy Code; or by suffering an involuntary petition in bankruptcy or receivership, Payor Confesses Judgment as set forth below, in the amount of \$150,000, together with costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, less any sums received by Payee from Payor through the date of Confession of Judgment.
- 3. All payments or notices hereunder shall be made to

For Payee: Nicholas J. Guiliano, Esquire

1700 Market Street, Suite 1005 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103

(215) 413-8223

nick@nicholasguiliano.com

For Payor: Anastasios Belesis

25 Beach Street

New York, New York

or to any such address as may from time to time be designated in writing.

4. Confession of Judgment. In the event of default or insolvency as set forth above, Payor confesses and consents to the entry of a judgment or award in the dollar amount of ONE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$150,000) together with attorney's fees, if any, in any court of competent jurisdiction in New York,

Payments are deducted for the judgment amount, thereby lowering the default judgment amount.

and hereby waives and acknowledging the consideration made herewith, forever waives and gives-up any defenses, or rights of set-off associated with this Note or any other matter. The undersigned unconditionally agrees to remain fully bound hereunder until this note shall be fully paid and waive demand, presentment and protest and all notices thereto and further agree to remain bound, notwithstanding any extension, renewal, modification, waiver, or other indulgence by any holder or upon the discharge or release of any obligor hereunder or to this Note.

In granting this right to confess judgment against Payor, Payor hereby knowingly, intelligently, voluntarily and irrevocably and, on the advice of counsel, unconditionally waives any and all rights Payor had or may have to prior notice and an opportunity for hearing under the respective constitutions and laws of the united states and the state of new york

- 5. No modification hereof shall be binding unless in writing.
- 6. The undersigned agrees, acknowledges and stipulates that this Note arises in connection with the settlement of a claims alleging violations of the federal securities laws shall not be dischargeable in bankruptcy in accordance with the United States Bankruptcy Code, Sarbanes Oxley Act of 2002. 11 U.S.C. § 523 (a)(19)(B)(i)(July 2002). The rights of any holder hereof shall be cumulative and not necessarily successive.

This note shall take effect as a sealed instrument and shall be construed, governed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the New York first appearing at the head of this note. The undersigned hereby execute this note as principals and not as sureties.

 Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed, construed, applied, and enforced in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania without reference to conflict of laws principles.

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DATED: Modelan ANASTASIOS P. BELESIS

STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF

I, Arthory Vacbon, a Notary of the State of New York, do hereby certify that on the date specified above the above named individual appeared before me and has established to my satisfaction that he is the person named in this document and has affixed hereto his hand and seal.

DATED: 12/3/15

FINANCIAL INDUSTRY REGULATORY AUTHOOFFICE OF DISPUTE RESOLUTION	RITY
RONALD BOONIE	

-against-

JOHN THOMAS FINANCIAL, ANASTASIOS BELESIS, GEORGE BELESIS, JOSEPH LOUIS CASTELLANO,

Claimant.

Respondents.
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IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the attorneys for Claimant Ronald Boonie and Respondent Anastasios Belesis there being no party who is an infant, incompetent person for whom a committee has been appointed or conservatee and there being no person not a party having an interest in the subject matter of the action, that the above-entitled action be and the same hereby is discontinued with prejudice against Respondent Anastasios Belesis, and without costs to either party as against the other.

IT IS FURTHER STIPULATED AND AGREED, that this Stipulation may be executed in counterparts and PDF, email or facsimile signatures shall be deemed originals and can be filed with the Court without further notice.

Dated: New York, New York November 11, 2015

JOSEPH MURE JR., & ASSOCIATES

LAW OFFICE OF NICHOLAS GUILIANO

Case No.: 13-03010

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Attorneys for Respondent Anastasios Belesis By: Nicholas J. Guiliano, Esquire.

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Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103

Tel.: (215) 413-8223 Attorney for Claimant

# Exhibit B

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NICHOLAS J. GUILIANO, ESQUIRE nick@nicholasguiliano.com

February 23, 2017

Anthony Varbero, Esquire Joseph Mure Jr. & Associates 26 Court Street, Suite 2601 Brooklyn, NY 11242 Anastasios P. Belesis 60 Beach Street, Apt. 1A New York, New York 10013

RE: Boonie v. Anastasios P. Belesis et. al.

Dear Mr. Varbero and Mr. Belesis:

As you know, our December 3, 2015 Promissory Note is in default.

Please accept this letter to confirm that based upon our various written communications that Mr. Belesis has agreed to pay the entire balance of the Note or \$85,000 on or before March 15, 2017, which is acceptable to and agreeable to us.

However, please note that, at least in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Promissory Note, if default is not cured within thirty days of this notice of default that the Promissory Note provides for the Confession of Judgment in the amount of \$150,000, and that Mr. Boonie may proceed against all potentially responsible parties in any court of competent jurisdiction.

Thank you once again for your cooperation in connection with the resolution of this matter, and please contact me directly should any issues arise between now and March 15, 2017.

Sincerely, Nicholas J. Guiliano Nicholas J. Guiliano

cc: Ronald L. Boonie

# Exhibit C

### GENERAL RELEASE

BE IT KNOWN, that the 2008 Anastasios Belesis Irrevocable Trust & Anastasios Belesis (hereinafter "Releasors"), for and in consideration of transfer of Radiant Oil & Gas, Inc. certificate No. 11499 representing 1,000,000 shares registered "2008 ANASTASIOS BELESIS IRR TR UA DTD SEPT 2008 ANASTASIOS BELESIS (GRANTOR) GEORGE BELESIS TTEE" per the settlement terms of the lawsuit transferred to arbitration entitled 2008 Anastasios Belesis Irrevocable Trust, as successor in interest to John Thomas Financial, Inc., and Anastasios Belesis, Claimants, vs Radiant Oil & Gas, Inc. and John Jurasin, Respondents, AAA Case No. 01-14-0001 306, and other valuable consideration from or on behalf of American Registrar & Transfer Co. and its principals (hereinafter jointly referred to as "Releasees"), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, does hereby remise, release, acquit, satisfy, and forever discharge said Releasees, of and from any and all manner of actions, causes of action, suits, debts, covenants, contracts, controversies, agreements, promises, claims and demands whatsoever, which said Releasor or its personal representatives, successors, heirs, officers, employees, managers, subsidiaries, affiliates, related entities or assignors now have or may have in the future arising prior to the date of this General Release, including, but not limited to, all claims, demands and causes of action arising from or in any way growing out of or relating to the Releasee's not removing the legend from the aforementioned certificate (at Releasor's request) presented to it on June 19, 2014 on instructions of Releasee's principal, Radian Oil & Gas.

inc.	
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Anastasion the Studay of November 2	os Belesis has executed and delivered this General Release on 2015.
	By: NNOSIOSIUS Belesis
	Its:
State of Newyork:  County of Kings:	
personally appeared Anastasics	, 2015, before me a notary public, the undersigned, Be(esc), known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the he within instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the ed.
In witness hereof, 1 hereunto set my h	and and official seal.
Notary Public	(A)

State of New

My Commission Expires:

No. 02VA63072

# Exhibit D

#### NYC DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE OFFICE OF THE CITY REGISTER

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NEW YORK, NY 10019 MARK H WÍLKOW, ESQ

PROPERTY DATA Borough Block Lot Unit Address

MANHATTAN 188 1501 Entire Lot 1A 48 BEACH STREET

Property Type: SINGLE RESIDENTIAL CONDO UNIT

CROSS REFERENCE DATA

CRFN: 2012000133324

**GRANTOR/SELLER:** 

ANASTASIOS BELESIS

NEW YORK, NY 10013

Mortgage:

Recording Fee:

Affidavit Fee:

60 BEACH STREET, UNIT 1A

**PARTIES** 

**GRANTEE/BUYER:** 

TOMTAB LLC

60 BEACH STREET, UNIT 1A

NEW YORK, NY 10013

☑ Additional Parties Listed on Continuation Page

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#### **PARTIES**

**GRANTOR/SELLER:**TABITHA BELESIS
60 BEACH STREET, UNIT 1A
NEW YORK, NY 10013

CORRECTION DEED

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NY 005 - Bargain and Sale Deed with Covenant against Grantor's Acts Individual or Corporation (Single Sheet) (NYBTU 8002)

CONSULT YOUR LAWYER BEFORE SIGNING THIS INSTRUMENT - THIS INSTRUMENT SHOULD BE USED BY LAWYERS ONLY

THIS INDENTURE, made the # 19 5 BETWEEN

day of May

, in the year 2016

741 cl 3020-790 lvo

Anastasios Belesis and Tabitha Belesis, as joint tenants with rights of survivorship having an address 60 Beach Street, Unit 1A, New York, NY 10013

party of the first part, and

Tomtab LLC with an address at 60 Beach Street, Unit 1A, New York, NY 10013

party of the second part,

WITNESSETH, that the party of the first part, in consideration of Ten Dollars and other valuable consideration paid by the party of the second part, does hereby grant and release unto the party of the second part, the heirs or successors and assigns of the party of the second part forever,

ALL that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the

See Schedule A, attached hereto.

POF 1201 91K:188

This deed is being recorded to correct The none of The Grantee in The deed dated 03/09/2012 and recorded 04/04/2012 as CRFN 2012000133324. Corrects The Spelling of The Grantee's none from Tomb Taß LLC to Tombas LLC, as recited herein.

**TOGETHER** with all right, title and interest, if any, of the party of the first part of, in and to any streets and roads abutting the above-described premises to the center lines thereof; **TOGETHER** with the appurtenances and all the estate and rights of the party of the first part in and to said premises; **TO HAVE AND TO HOLD** the premises herein granted unto the party of the second part, the heirs or successors and assigns of the party of the second part forever.

AND the party of the first part covenants that the party of the first part has not done or suffered anything whereby the said premises have been incumbered in any way whatever, except as aforesaid.

AND the party of the first part, in compliance with Section 13 of the Lien Law, covenants that the party of the first part will receive the consideration for this conveyance and will hold the right to receive such consideration as a trust fund to be applied first for the purpose of paying the cost of the improvement and will apply the same first to the payment of the cost of the improvement before using any part of the total of the same for any other purpose.

The word "party" shall be construed as if it read "parties" whenever the sense of this indenture so requires.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the party of the first part has duly executed this deed the day and year first above written.

IN PRESENCE OF:

Anastasios Belesis

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Tabitha Belesis

\_ (3 USE ACKNOWLEDGMENT FORM BELOW WITHIN NEW YORK STATE ONLY:

State of New York, County of New York

State of New York, County of

} ss.:

On the Aday of May

in the year 2016

before me, the undersigned, personally appeared
Anastasios Belesis and Tabitha Belesis

personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument.

MARJORIE H. HOFFMAN Notary Public, State Of New York No.01H06067415 Oualified in Nassau County Commission Expires Dec. 10, 20

ACKNOWLEDGMENT FORM FOR USE WITHIN NEW YORK STATE ONLY: (New York Subscribing Witness Acknowledgment Certificate)

State of New York, County of

day of before me, the undersigned, personally appeared

in the year

the subscribing witness to the foregoing instrument, with whom I am personally acquainted, who, being by me duly swom, did depose and say that he/she/they reside(s) in

(if the place of residence is in a city, include the street and street number, if any, thereof); that he/she/they know(s)

to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument; that said subscribing witness was present and saw said

execute the same; and that said witness at the same time subscribed his/her/their name(s) as a witness thereto.

On the day of in the year before me, the undersigned, personally appeared

personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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(Complete Venue with State, Country, Province or Municipality)

before me, the undersigned, personally appeared

personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), that by his/her/ their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument, and that such individual made such appearance before the undersigned in the

(Insert the city or other political subdivision and the state or country or other place the acknowledgment was taken).

BARGAIN & SALE DEED WITH COVENANTS AGAINST GRANTOR'S ACTS TITLE NO. 3020-790110 (First Am)

**Anastasios Belesis and Tabitha Belesis** 

TO

Tomtab LLC

DISTRICT SECTION BLOCK 188 . LOT 1501 COUNTY OR TOWN New York

> RECORDED AT REQUEST OF **Fidelity National Title Insurance Company** RETURN BY MAIL TO

CKR Law 1330 Avenue of the Americas, 14th Floor

New York, NY 10019 Attention: Mark H. Wilkow, Esq.



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#### **SCHEDULE "A"**

THE CONDOMINIUM UNIT (THE "UNIT") KNOWN AS UNIT NO. 1A IN THE PREMISES KNOWN AS 60 BEACH CONDOMINIUM, SAID UNIT BEING DESIGNATED AND DESCRIBED AS UNIT NO. 1A IN THE DECLARATION ESTABLISHING A PLAN FOR CONDOMINIUM OWNERSHIP OF SAID PREMISES UNDER ARTICLE 9-B OF THE REAL PROPERTY LAW OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK (THE "NEW YORK CONDOMINIUM ACT") DATED AS OF 06/30/2008 AND RECORDED 01/22/2009 IN THE NEW YORK COUNTY REGISTER'S OFFICE AS CRFN 2009000019014, AND ALSO DESIGNATED AS TAX LOT 1501 IN BLOCK 188 OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND ON THE TAX MAP OF THE REAL PROPERTY ASSESSMENT DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK AND ON THE FLOOR PLANS OF SAID BUILDING CERTIFIED BY H. THOMAS O'HARA, ARCHITECT, PLC, AND FILED WITH THE REAL PROPERTY ASSESSMENT DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK AS CONDOMINIUM PLAN NO. 1986 AND FILED IN THE REGISTER'S OFFICE ON 01/22/2009 AS MAP NO. CRFN 2009000019015.

TOGETHER WITH A TOTAL UNDIVIDED 4.4674% INTEREST IN THE COMMON ELEMENTS (AS SUCH TERM IS DEFINED IN THE DECLARATION).

THE PREMISES WITHIN WHICH THE UNIT IS LOCATED ARE MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

ALL THAT CERTAIN PLOT, PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, SITUATE, LYING AND BEING IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY, COUNTY AND STATE OF NEW YORK, BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF BEACH STREET, DISTANT 100 FEET 10 INCHES WESTERLY FROM THE CORNER FORMED BY THE INTERSECTION OF THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF BEACH STREET WITH THE WESTERLY SIDE OF HUDSON STREET;

RUNNING THENCE SOUTHERLY AND PARALLEL WITH THE WESTERLY SIDE OF HUDSON STREET AND THROUGH A PARTY WALL, 60 FEET 1 INCH;

THENCE WESTERLY PARALLEL WITH THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF BEACH STREET, 7-34 INCHES;

THENCE SOUTHERLY ALONG A LINE FORMING AN EXTERIOR ANGLE OF 90° 21' 20" WITH THE LAST MENTIONED COURSE, 27 FEET 5 INCHES;

THENCE WESTERLY ALONG A LINE FORMING AN INTERIOR ANGLE OF 90° 21° 20" WITH THE LAST MENTIONED COURSE, 150 FEET 1- $^{34}$  INCHES;

THENCE NORTHERLY PARALLEL WITH GREENWICH STREET, 87 FEET 6 INCHES TO THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF BEACH STREET; AND

THENCE EASTERLY ALONG THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF BEACH STREET, 151 FEET 2 INCHES TO THE POINT OR PLACE OF BEGINNING.

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C1. County Code C1. C2. Date Deed C2. Date Deed C3. Book C4. Page C4. Page C5. CRFN	REAL PROPERTY TRANSFER REPORT  STATE OF NEW YORK  STATE BOARD OF REAL PROPERTY SERVICES  RP - 5217NYC
PROPERTYINFORMATION	
1. Property 48 BEACH STREET 1A STREET NAME	MANHATTAN 10013 BOROUGH ZIP CODE
2. Buyer Name TOMTAB LLC LAST NAME / COMPANY	FIRST NAME
LAST NAME / COMPANY	FIRST NAME
3. Tax Indicate where future Tax Bills are to be sent Billing if other than buyer address (at bottom of form) Address  LAST NAME / COMPANY	FIRST NAME
STREET NUMBER AND STREET NAME CITY OR T	TOWN STATE ZIP CODE
4 Indicate the number of Assessment . 1	4A. Planning Board Approval - N/A for NYC  4B. Agricultural District Notice - N/A for NYC  Check the boxes below as they apply:
5. Deed Property Size FRONT FEET  OEPTH OR ACRES	6. Ownership Type is Condominium     7. New Construction on Vacant Land
BELESIS  8. Seller  LAST NAME / COMPANY	ANASTASIOS FIRST NAME
Name LAST NAME / COMPANY L BELESIS	TABITHA
LAST NAME / COMPANY	FIRST NAME
9. Check the box below which most accurately describes the use of the property at A  One Family Residential	Commercial G Entertainment / Amusement I Industrial Apartment H Community Service J Public Service
SALE INFORMATION	14. Check one or more of these conditions as applicable to transfer:
10. Sale Contract Date	A Sale Between Relatives or Former Relatives  B Sale Between Related Companies or Partners in Business  C One of the Buyers is also a Seller  Buyer or Seller is Government Agency or Lending Institution
11. Date of Sale / Transfer    3 / 19 / 2016     Month Day Year  12. Full Sale Price \$ 0	E Deed Type not Warranty or Bargain and Sale (Specify Below )  F Sale of Fractional or Less than Fee Interest ( Specify Below )
(Full Sale Price is the total amount paid for the property including personal property. This payment may be in the form of cash, other property or goods, or the assumption of mortgages or other obligations.) Please round to the nearest whole dollar amount.	G Significant Change in Property Between Taxable Status and Sale Dates H Sale of Business is Included in Sale Price Other Unusual Factors Affecting Sale Price (Specify Below) None
13. Indicate the value of personal property included in the sale	
ASSESSMENT INFORMATION - Data should reflect the latest Final Assessmen	nt Roll and Tax Bill
15. Building Class R 4 16. Total Assessed Value (of all parce	2 9 6 3 4 3 j
17. Borough, Block and Lot / Roll Identifier(s) ( If more than three, attach sheet to	with additional identifier(s) )
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BUYER SIGNATURE 60 BEACH STREET	UNIT 1A	D,	ATE	LAST NAME		FIRST NAME	,
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CITY OR TOWN		STATE	ZIP CODE	SELLER SONATURE		DATE	

Affidavit of Compliance with Smoke Detector Requirement for One and-Two Family Dwellings

#### AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE WITH SMOKE DETECTOR REQUIREMENT FOR ONE- AND TWO-FAMILY DWELLINGS

State of New York ) ) SS.:				
County of New )				
The undersigned, being duly sworn, depos the real property or of the cooperative share				
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MANHATTAN	New York,	188	1501	_ (the "Premises");
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That they make affidavit in compliance wis signatures of at least one grantor and one g	th New York City A grantee are required,	dministrative Coo and must be nota	le Section 11-2 rized).	105 (g). (The
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These statements are made with the knowledge that a willfully false representation is unlawful and is punishable as a crime of perjury under Article 210 of the Penal Law.

NEW YORK CITY REAL PROPERTY TRANSFER TAX RETURNS FILED ON OR AFTER FEBRUARY 6th, 1990, WITH RESPECT TO THE CONVEYANCE OF A ONE- OR TWO-FAMILY DWELLING, OR A COOPERATIVE APARTMENT OR A CONDOMINIUM UNIT IN A ONE- OR TWO-FAMILY DWELLING, WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR FILING UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY THIS AFFIDAVIT.